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SUBJ: GROVES - NON-BID ON AIRPORT PROJECT IN ABU DHABI

REF: (A) STATE 301188, (B) ABU DHABI 3344

ACCORDING TO OFFICIALS OF AL JABER-GROVES, COMPANY
DID NOT SUBMIT BID FOR ABU DHABI
AIRPORT CIVIL WORKS, GROVES' HOME OFFICE CONSIDERED THAT TRYING TO
NEGOTIATE OUT OR REVISE BOYCOTT LANGUAGE AFTER BID SUBMISSION RAN
TOO GREAT A RISK OF TENDER BOND FOREITURE SO THEY CALLED LOCAL
GROVES OFFICIALS ON DEC 14 INSTRUCTING THEM NOT TO ENTER BID.
ACCORDING TO LOCAL GROVES MANAGER THEIR LOCAL PARTNER - MR. AL
JABER - WAS ALSO UNEASY ABOUT GROVES BIDDING STRATEGY INsofar AS
IT CONCERNED BOYCOTT AND SEEMED RELIEVED NOT TO BE RUNNING THE
RISK OF LOSING SUCH A LARGE TENDER GUARANTEE (FOUR MILLION DOLS
WITH AL JABER AND GROVES EACH PUTTING UP HALF).
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